IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Application of: Mellenthin, Paebst, Dryer, Garzmann

Application No.: 10/646850

Filed: August 22, 2003

For: A Method For Handling Data of a

Proportioning Device and a Proportioning Device Suited for Performing the Method

Examiner: Chelcie Daye

Group Art Unit: 2161

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PETITION FOR AN EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR §1,136

Applicant(s) hereby request a three month extension of time to respond to the Office Action mailed January 29, 2010. This petition is accompanied by \$1,110.00 as set forth in 37 CFR \$1.17 and is filed prior to or with the response.

Any outstanding fee for extension should be charged to our Deposit Account, No. 22-0350.

Respectfully submitted, VIDAS, ARRETT & STEINKRAUS, P.A.

Docket No: E40.2B-11123-US01

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